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POLITICAL PROSPECTS,
NATIONAL AND STATE, AS FORTH
SHADOWED AT WASHINGTON.

Democrat Preparing for the Coming National Campaign.—Readers of the Washington Post are reminded that the National Committee of the Democratic Party is now in session at Washington, D. C., and that the committee is preparing for the coming national campaign.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—[Special Correspondence.]—The democratic of the house have gone to work in a business way to prepare for the coming campaign. The recent caucus of which General Rosecrans was chairman freely discussed the outlook for the fall elections. It was the prevailing opinion that with good management, good candidates, and energetic canvassing a majority of the next congress could be made democratic. Congressional elections in the off presidential years are always favorable to the minority. No contingency can prevent the quarrel between half breeds and stalwarts from seriously injuring the republican. Every campaign next fall, thing points to democratic gain.

The readjusters have studied the situation with an artful scheme of redistricting. Virginia so as to have eight of the ten congressmen, but in several of the districts they have trimmed their estimated majority down very fine and safe. The Virginia democrats are not down-hearted. They are anxious for another chance at their mixed enemy and are justly encouraged by signs of disaffection in the dominant party. Virginia will be up an interesting field again next fall.

In Ohio the worst gerrymandering, it is said on good authority, cannot prevent a democratic congressional gain. An enthusiastic effort to secure the legislature will be made for on that issue hangs a precious seat in the balanced senate. Pennsylvania with its revolting republicans and New York with Tammany's marplot crippled, looks promising for the democrats. A gain in each is almost certain.

The majority expected. Soler calculations from not over hopeful men, skilled in watching the signs of politics in the north, give the next house to the democrats by a majority of from ten to thirty. This calculation is based on the assumption that the south will send about as many democrats as it now has here. If the coalitionists capture Georgia, elect a majority of congressmen and do half what they say they are going to do, these figures will need revision.

The caucus passed a resolution requesting the democratic representatives from each state to name one of their number to go on a committee of thirty-eight. This committee is to choose a congressional campaign committee of seven. Yesterday the various states selected their man for the committee of thirty-eight. Georgia chose Mr. Clements, of the senate, with confidence in his excellent judgment. He has proven that he knows what a good campaign is. It was a compliment to a new member, but none was ever better bestowed. Texas called in to service another young Georgian, Mr. Olin Wellborn. He knows the politics of his state well. Either he or Clements would make an excellent number of the committee of thirty-eight. They are now on the committee of thirty-eight, and that will soon have a meeting to choose the committee of seven, which is to keep a sharp eye on the senate, and in every district to every state until the congressional election is passed. We may look for the closest Georgia contest in the ninth. The democracy up there is bustling already. That is hope is not for nothing. The appearance of a number of prominent men in connection with the nomination. Judge Erwin, Dr. Carlton, Mr. Pope Barrow, and others are spoken of as probable aspirants in Washington as fit for the leadership.

Colored W. P. Price has recently been in Washington, and his presence suggests and emphasizes his candidacy as a democrat. The colored talks with confidence of a coming democratic victory in the ninth, and he is a most reliable authority on matters in the mountains, for he knows every nook and cranny of the state. Mr. Allen Candler, of Gainesville, has been mentioned by the prophetic slate-makers. While these calculations are in progress, Mr. Speer's friends are confident as ever. That is he will be heard from before there is a change, and has no fear of an appeal to the people. Some of the republicans up there are growing discontented. Some of the democrats are being talked about as a possible candidate, and dim in the distance looms the grim visage of Benjamin Dugger.

Colonel Farrow looms up. Colonel Farrow, one of the leading spirits in the coalition, was in frequent communication with Mr. Speer when in Washington recently, and they say he is to keep down all republican dissent in the ninth, under the considerable influence. Speer fought Clark and helped the Georgia syndicate with all his might to rearrange the federal patronage for the state and thus is the debt to the republicans. Mr. Farrow, of Columbia, is in Washington trying to get the post-office. He is a republican and brings a strong local backing. Mr. R. D. Locke made himself prominent in the movement of Andrew Clark. This brought upon him the disfavor of the syndicate. General Longstreet, Colonel Farrow and the other leading spirits in this Warlikean combination will now be going to the north, where they are going in for Thornton. He is in a fair way to get the office.

Envious eyes were turned toward Zachariah Hargrove as he contentedly sits in the Rome post-office, a very neat berth. Hargrove has little to fear, however. Dr. Felton will not desert him; the syndicate will not desert Dr. Felton, and the administration has locked its arms around the syndicate in undivorceable love. Colonel Printup, of Rome, is here. Some mention has been made of him as a probable aspirant for the judgeship of the United States district court. He has always been an independent and a warm friend of Dr. Felton. Judge McCay's fiancée is best for the judgeship. When his friends were presenting him for the place on the circuit bench left vacant by Judge Wood's promotion, a distinguished Georgian, in speaking to the president of his qualifications, said: "There is no judicial position he would not fill ably and well. He is worthy of a place on the supreme bench."

The growing interest in the gold mines of Georgia will soon be evidenced in congress. Citizens of Dahlonega and other points in the gold region feel the need of an assay office in that country to test their ores and find out the value of their gold. At this time, besides bringing their resources more prominently before the public, a bill will soon be introduced by Mr. Speer to supply the necessary machinery, and its passage will be urged by the entire delegation. Mr. W. L. Scruggs gets a desirable place in the diplomatic service in his appointment as consul-general, and as Panama is growing into high importance now, the responsibilities of the station will be great. I learn that there were about five hundred applicants for it. Mr. Scruggs' record at Bogota and Canton, with the endorsement of leading Georgians secured the prize for him. The salary is \$3,000 but it is increased by fees to between \$5,000 and \$7,000.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Goldsborough, of the Marine hospital service, has been ordered from Baltimore to Mobile.

THE GRAVE CALAMITY
Which has Befallen the Yazoo Delta—Fraudulent Appeals for Aid.

New York, March 7.—A New Orleans special to the Times says: Up to this time Governor McEnery has received petitions from Richland parish asking for 2,500 rations; from Catahoula parish asking rations for four months, and from persons in Concordia parish asking for relief. Some of the signers of these petitions are wealthy men and independent planters, one of them makes more than 10,000 bales and has more than \$100,000 deposited with a cotton broker in this city. This appeal for relief is contradicted by responsible citizens, who have written to the governor that there is no need for relief, and it is generally looked upon as a dodge to obtain provisions from the government free of charge. Not one of these points is affected by the crevasse, and the governor is watching the matter closely, so that the generosity of the government should not be abused by crafty politicians or penurious planters.

HIGHER THAN EVER KNOWN.
A special from Greenville, Miss., says: The water is still rising and spreading. It is now from six inches to a foot higher than in any overflow since the country was first settled. There will be very little land above water from the river front to the hills beyond the Yazoo river. Greenville is a German city, and any possible overflow, though the low points were at one time threatened. The refugees from the overflowed plantations are congregating here, and our resources to feed and shelter them will be severely taxed. So far the relief agents have not communicated with our local authorities. Our board of supervisors have asked that some government rations be sent here. The need is immediate.

THE SHERIFF OF BOLIVAR COUNTY HAS LODGED HIS PRISONERS IN JAIL HERE. He reports very few plantations in his county with even a strip of land above water. The loss of the stock there will be almost total. The levees are thronged with negroes and stock, whose condition is most deplorable.

As its extent becomes known, this calamity begins to appal. A tax sufficient to rebuild the levees above would be almost unobtainable, but that is only an item. The laborers have lost their stock, and movable, and are in a panic stricken and demoralized condition. Could transportation be secured there would be an exodus from here to the hills. The correspondence of the planters and merchants is deepening. At first this blow was regarded as a disaster involving losses and hard times, but now it is assuming graver and greater proportions. The most thoughtful as well as the most sanguine of the cotton country. It will almost destroy the feeling of security with which our local capacity to hold the levee was becoming rested. Upon this reliance was the cotton road, and other movements of capital toward the Yazoo delta, and if it goes all possible prosperity of this section goes with it. The correspondent does not believe that confidence or hope can be restored without national help to rebuild the levees.

ALONG WHITE RIVER.
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Capt. Reid Postel, of the steamer Hard Cash, which arrived this morning, reports that the back-water from the Mississippi river extends up White river to Lumberton, Arkansas, a distance of 135 miles from the mouth of the river, and the entire country intervening is under water, which is two feet higher than was ever known before. A great loss of stock and damage to crops is being done. The levees are being repaired, but the water is still rising.

THE FLAMES.
Destroies Fire in a Canadian Town—A Notable Drug Store Destroyed.

STRATHWAY, Ont., March 7.—A fire early this morning destroyed the building owned by J. and J. English and occupied by C. P. Leach & Co., druggists. It destroyed a store and a house, and the loss is estimated at \$10,000. The fire was caused by a gas lamp, and the cause is being investigated.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, March 7.—John Taylor's house, at Meadow Lea, was destroyed by fire during the storm of Saturday, and his wife and three daughters were subjected to great suffering. Taylor's hands and feet were badly frozen, and Mrs. Reed, a visitor, was slightly frozen. The storm was the worst ever known in this section.

IN THE BROKEN LIST.
The Statement of Sweet & Co.—More Failures Reported.

Boston, March 7.—At a meeting of the creditors of Charles A. Sweet & Co., the suspended banking firm, held here today, the following statement was made: Liabilities of all sorts amount to \$2,876,111 and assets, estimating the Massachusetts Central bonds at 50 cents on the dollar, \$2,775,000. In addition, Sweet's private capital, \$447,000, is liable for the debts of the firm, making the total assets \$3,222,007, leaving a surplus of \$345,946.

RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING.
NEW ORLEANS, March 7.—By action of the board of directors of the cotton exchange, the following parties, who were recently suspended, are reinstated in the exchange, and their creditors, were today reinstated to membership: Lewis & Williams, Payne & Greene, H. N. Martin and George Winchester.

NEW YORK ASSIGNMENT.
NEW YORK, March 7.—Elise and David J. Magrin, comprising the firm V. E. J. Magrin, Guerin & Co., importers of jewelry in Union Square, assigned today to William A. Wheeler for the benefit of the creditors. The preferences amount to \$28,000.

A LIVELY SCENE.
A Texas Mob Breaking Jail and Killing the Prisoners.

DENVER, March 7.—On Thursday, Arnold Howard and Frank Young, charged with cattle stealing, were arrested and lodged in jail at Del Norte. The next day an attempt was made by the prisoners to break out of jail, but unsuccessfully. Saturday night one hundred masked men, said to be stock men from the Rio Grande and San Luis valleys, rode down on the guards, ordered them to throw up their hands, and commenced firing in every direction. When the jail was broken open the prisoners attempted to escape. Howard was killed outright, and Young was mortally wounded. Howard's body was thrown into the river. The windows of the jail were riddled with bullets. Howard had been arrested twelve times charged with cattle stealing, and was cleared in every instance.

NEW ON THE GO.
WABASH, Ind., March 7.—Last night a lady named Mrs. S. Anderson, living at Huntington, blew out the gas in her room in the Lutz house, this city. This morning, she not responding when called, her door was broken open, and she was discovered almost asphyxiated. She was restored with great difficulty.

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THE SUPREME COURT.

DECISIONS RENDERED IN MARCH, 1882.

James Jackson, Chief Justice, Martin J. Crawford, Reporter, and Alexander M. Spear, Associate Justices—Reported by J. H. Lumpkin, Supreme Court Reporter.

Decisions Rendered March 7, 1882.

Hillman vs. State. Burglary, from Crawford. Criminal law. Indictment. Verdict.

Jackson, C. J.—1. An indictment which charged that the defendant broke and entered the storehouse of a person named with intent to steal therefrom thirty dollars in money therein found, and the value of thirty dollars, and the property of the owner of the storehouse, was not demurrable for want of a more accurate description of the kind or money so to be stolen.

(a). Is any description of the goods intended to be taken from a house where things of value are stored necessary? Quare.

2. The verdict is supported by the evidence. Judgment affirmed.

Bacon & Rutherford, for plaintiff in error. John L. Hardeman, solicitor general, for the state.

Paschal vs. State. Assault with intent to murder, from Muscogee. Criminal law.

Jackson, C. J.—Where an indictment charged the commission of an assault with intent to commit murder by using a weapon likely to produce death, the proof must show that such was the character of the weapon. This may be done by producing the instrument itself, or showing the effect of it, or other satisfactory evidence, but must be done in some way.

Judgment reversed.

Blanford & Garrard, for plaintiff in error. Thomas W. Grimes, solicitor general, for the state.

Hall vs. Matthews et al. Complaint for land, from Talbot. Homestead. Title. Ejectment.

Jackson, C. J.—Where a homestead was taken by a man as head of a family including not only his wife but also a minor female grandchild who lived with him and was dependent on him, the death of the wife did not terminate the homestead estate, but it continued so long as the minor grandchild remained so dependent.

(a). A deed by the head of a family as an individual, purporting to convey land covered by a homestead, carried no title to the purchaser; nor could a recovery against the grantee as an individual be had thereon; pending the homestead estate to elect the head of the family would destroy the full enjoyment of the homestead by the members thereof.

Judgment reversed.

E. H. Worrell & Son, by J. H. Lumpkin; Marion Bethune, for plaintiff in error.

J. M. Matthews; Smith & Little; Blanford & Garrard, for defendant.

Champion vs. Champion. Alimony, from Stewart. Continuance. Alimony.

Jackson, C. J.—On a question of granting alimony pending a libel for divorce, especially during a term of court, this court will not scan closely the ruling of the court below on the matter of notice or of granting a continuance on account of the absence of a witness. These are matters resting in the discretion of the court.

2. The grant or refusal of alimony pending on action for divorce is a matter of discretion for the presiding judge, and his decision will not be controlled unless that discretion has been abused.

Judgment affirmed.

B. F. Harrell, by John A. McWhorter, for plaintiff in error.

J. L. Winberry; E. G. Simmons, for defendant.

Brady et al. vs. Brady, guardian. Claim, from Sumter. Practice in Superior Court.

Jackson, C. J.—Where a guardian has withdrawn his claim, and afterwards interposed a second claim to the same levy, cannot again withdraw it. The plaintiff in B. fa. is entitled to prosecute the case to verdict.

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Judgment affirmed.

Allen Ford; Hawkins & Hawkins, for plaintiffs in error.

Guerry & Son, for defendant.

Robinson vs. State. Simple larceny, from Early. Criminal law. Evidence. Verdict.

Jackson, C. J.—1. Where a witness who testified at a committing trial subsequently died, on the final trial of the same case in the superior court his testimony so given was admissible, and there being nothing to show that it was reduced to writing, it was competent to prove what such testimony was by parol.

2. Where an indictment charged the larceny of a horse belonging to Joel W. Perry, and the evidence was that the horse belonged to "Colonel Perry" whom one of the witnesses called his father-in-law, the identity of the owner as charged in the indictment was proved by the jury; and in the absence of any conflicting testimony as to the ownership of the horse, the verdict of guilty was not set aside as contrary to law on the ground that the probata and allegata did not agree as to ownership.

Judgment affirmed.

Clarence Wilson; Kennon & Hood, for plaintiff in error.

J. H. Guerry, solicitor general, for the state.

Ivey et al. vs. Hammon. Certiorari, from Marion. Possessory warranty. Partnership.

Jackson, C. J.—The judgment of the justice in awarding possession of the property in controversy in this case was not mutually entitled to the possession of the property, yet where by the terms of the partnership one partner is entitled to the exclusive possession and control of certain personal property in order to carry out the objects of the firm, the other cannot interfere with such possession, and for a violent or fraudulent taking of such property possessory warranty will lie.

(a). A tenant may recover personally violently or fraudulently taken from his lawful possession by his landlord, though the title may be in the latter.

Judgment affirmed.

Blanford & Garrard; W. B. Butt, for plaintiff in error.

E. M. Butt; E. W. Miller, for defendant.

Cleveland vs. Treadwell. Ejectment, from Butts. Practice in supreme court. Charge of court. Continuance. New trial.

Jackson, C. J.—1. Where the judge who presided at the trial of a case, did not hear the motion for a new trial, but it was heard and overruled by the judge of another circuit and temporarily presiding, the reluctance of this court to interfere with a verdict approved by the presiding judge, as contrary to law and evidence, has no application.

2. The charge of the court was fair and legal.

3. The verdict was contrary to law.

(a). Where two persons, owning land under a common fee, agreed upon and entered into a common dividing line between them, and subsequently partitioned were called in by the vendees of such parties to lay out and mark the line between them, they should mark the line between them, they should have had regard to the line by them totally irrespective thereof was illegal.

4. Acquiescence by acts or declarations for more than seven years in a dividing line is sufficient to establish it.

Judgment reversed.

A. D. Hammond; John L. Hall, for plaintiff in error.

J. J. Floyd; Hendrick & Wright, for defendant.

Bryant & Lockett vs. Southwestern railroad.

Case, from Sumter. Railroads. Damages. Negligence. Contracts. Charge of court.

Crawford, J.—1. The charge of the court should be applicable to the facts developed by the testimony.

2. Though a shipper of live-stock contracted with the transporting railroad that it was not to be responsible for attention, feeding or watering of the stock, but that it should afford the shipper reasonable facilities for these purposes, yet if the railroad carried the stock beyond the destination fixed by the bill of lading, and there detained them for several days before their return, it would not be relieved from liability for failure to care for the stock after passing the proper destination.

3. When the Central railroad received live stock, it was to be transported to America on its road and that of the Southwestern railroad, and by a mistake on the part of the first road, they were consigned to a point beyond America, and were so received and carried by the connecting road, such facts would not relieve the latter from liability for carrying by reason of inattention to the stock at the place to which they were actually carried.

4. Though under the contract of shipment a railroad may have been liable only for damages arising from gross negligence in not attending to live stock, yet when it carried the stock beyond the agreed destination and to keep them for a time, its liability as to such time was not limited to the results of gross negligence.

Judgment reversed.

Hawkins & Hawkins; B. P. Hollis, for plaintiff in error.

S. C. Elam, for defendant.

Day vs. State. Carrying concealed weapons, from Houston. Criminal law. New trial.

Crawford, J.—The venue, like other facts, must be proved in a criminal case. Where there is no proof of venue the verdict is contrary to law and evidence. Quare.

(a). Ought not the failure to prove the venue to be a distinct ground of the motion for new trial, instead of being included in the general ground that the verdict is contrary to law and evidence? Quare.

Judgment reversed.

Davis & Riley; S. Hall & Son, for plaintiff in error.

John L. Hardeman, solicitor general, for the state.

Gorman et al. vs. Wood. Ejectment, from Bibb. Husband and wife. Title. Trusts. Ejectment. Deed and credit.

Crawford, J.—1. While prior to 1861 the husband might permit his wife to keep her earnings and buy property during coverture, which she could hold as against him, yet after his death, his heirs, yet after receiving her funds, investing them in his own name, and holding property purchased therewith until the lien of a judgment against him had attached, he could not then set up his equity so as to defeat the title of a bona fide purchaser under the judgment.

(a). Nor could that result be accomplished by the husband recognizing her equity and assigning a deed to be made to her, the lien of the judgment had attached to the land.

2. If a husband uses the money of his wife, with or without her consent, and thereby acquires title in himself to property, third persons who bona fide take title for value to such property will be protected.

Judgment reversed.

Lander & Anderson, for plaintiff in error.

J. Rutherford; Bacon & Rutherford, for defendant.

Harris vs. Smith. Money rule, from Randolph. Contracts. Laws. Statute of limitations.

Crawford, J.—An action by a defendant in fa against the sheriff for the balance of funds in his hands arising from a sale and the fa after paying it off, is barred in four years.

(a). The provision in §206 of the code that suits for the enforcement of rights arising under statutes, acts of incorporation, or any operation of law, should be barred in twenty years, was not intended to include every case of implied assumpsit, but the last clause applied to such rights as arose in connection with or through statutes or acts of incorporation, though not strictly under the very words thereof.

Judgment affirmed.

John T. Clark & Son, for plaintiff in error.

Kennon & Hood, for defendant.

Trammell vs. Woolfolk. Foreclosure of mortgage, from Harris. Usury. Pleading. Practice in the supreme court. Plea of usury.

Crawford, J.—1. The plea of usury is one regulated by special legislation. Such a plea must be complete within itself and set forth the sum upon which the usury was paid, or to be paid, and when the contract was made, when payable, and the amount of usury agreed upon, taken or reserved.

2. Questions not made in the court below will not be considered here.

Judgment affirmed.

W. Dugas Trammell; M. H. Blanford, for plaintiff in error.

McNeill & Levy; Peabody & Brannon, for defendant.

Tabb et al. vs. Collier. Ejectment, from Early. Year's support. Title. Judgments.

Crawford, J.—1. When a year's support has been set apart by the ordinary from the estate of a decedent, it vests in the widow and children; its object is their support, and if it be in land, the sale thereof and application of the proceeds is a necessary implication, although there is no express provision of law for that purpose. Therefore where the widow, with approval of the ordinary, sells the land set apart, and appropriates the proceeds thereof to the support of the heirs at law, they cannot recover it because no express provision is given to the ordinary to sell the land, or because his approval of such sale was irregular.

2. Every presumption is in favor of the judgment of the ordinary setting apart a year's support, and it cannot be collaterally attacked.

Judgment affirmed.

Bush & Lyon, by Jackson & King, for plaintiffs in error.

C. Sheffield, by J. H. Lumpkin, for defendant.

No. 8. Chattahoochee. Hall vs. Malvers et al. Complaint, for land, from Talbot. Reversed.

No. 14. Southwestern. Champion vs. Champion. Alimony, from Stewart. Affirmed.

No. 7. Southwestern. Emory et al. vs. Brady, guardian claim, from Sumter. Affirmed.

No. 4. Pataula. Robinson vs. State. Simple larceny, from Early. Affirmed.

No. 1. Chattahoochee. Ivey et al. vs. Hammon. Certiorari, from Marion. Affirmed.

No. 2. Flint. Cleveland vs. Treadwell. Ejectment, from Butts. Reversed.

No. 6. Chattahoochee. Hays vs. Hamilton, agent. Complaint, from Muscogee. Affirmed.

No. 8. Pataula. Gunn vs. McMichael, administrator. Claim, from Randolph. Reversed.

No. 1. Pataula. Harris vs. Smith. Money rule, from Randolph. Affirmed.

No. 1. Macon. Day vs. State. Carrying concealed weapons, from Houston. Reversed.

No. 5. Pataula. Tabb et al. vs. Collier. Ejectment, from Early. Affirmed.

No. 3. Chattahoochee. Trammell vs. Woolfolk. Foreclosure mortgage, from Harris. Affirmed.

No. 9. Southwestern. Bryan & Lockett vs. Southwestern Railroad. Case, from Sumter. Reversed.

No. 10. Macon. Gorman et al. vs. Wood. Ejectment, from Bibb. Reversed.

No. 16. Southwestern. Henderson vs. Sledge. Equity, from Macon. Affirmed.

No. 1. Pataula. Garrison vs. State. Stabling, from Early. Affirmed.

No. 7. Chattahoochee. Flournoy & Epping vs. Williams. Complaint, from Talbot. Affirmed.

No. 2. Chattahoochee. Matthews vs. Bivins. Complaint, from Chattahoochee. Affirmed.

No. 9. Pataula. Harde vs. McMichael, administrator. Claim, from Randolph. Reversed.

No. 10. Same parties as just above in reverse order. Affirmed.

No. 2. Macon. Rutherford, administrator, vs. Rutherford. Distress warrant, from Houston. Affirmed.

No. 5. Flint. Youngblood & Harris vs. Eubank. Appeal, from Pike. Affirmed.

No. 4. Chattahoochee. Western Union Telegraph Company vs. Blanchard, Williams & Co. Assumpsit, from Muscogee. Affirmed.

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A new gas company for Atlanta is announced in progress. This enterprise is one that will be welcomed. More light is always desirable.

PRINCE MILAN has been declared king of Serbia. His limitations are many and his opportunities few. He will not attract very much public attention for very long.

If we can't have free trade with our next door neighbor, Mexico, reciprocity is the next best thing. If Senator Romero succeeds in effecting the treaty it will be of advantage to both countries.

It is reported that France and Germany have agreed to divide up Luxembourg, that triangular little bit of land between France, Germany and Belgium. This is a chronic rumor and one always as likely to be true as untrue.

DARLONERGA asks for an assay office, the ancient seat of a branch mint. The old Lumpkin county town once had a branch United States mint and it is now busy enough in gold mining to deserve the assay office.

Two cases of "didn't know it was loaded" are reported in our columns this morning. Sad as they are, the reflection that the results would have been avoided if the pistols if each case had been put where young people could not reach them, is enough to cause expression of indignation that such criminal carelessness should go unpunished.

CHIEF JUSTICE MARSHALL is to have a \$20,000 congressional statue. It is a fit honor to the purest and best man who ever sat on the bench of the supreme court, and if his bust could be put where the president could see that grand face when he proposes to make such men as Conkling fill the same benches, perhaps it would have some good effect.

In all there have been two colored senators and fourteen colored representatives in congress. Senator Revels, of Mississippi, was the first colored man admitted to either house, and Senator Bruce of the same state was the last colored man who held a seat in either house. There are two colored contestants in the present house, but no sitting member.

Last night's reception to Mr. W. E. Dodge was a perfect success. Governor Colquitt, as usual, felicitously introduced the speaker, who is more or less identified with Georgia, although a northern man. Temperance is a subject in which Dodge every family is interested, and Mr. Dodge eloquently set forth his mission in which every one will wish him Godspeed.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR has utilized his office and the United States senate to give the discredited ex-senator of New York an opportunity to air his importance. He has endeavored to reinstate him in public confidence. No one will be apt to blame the president for clinging to a friend in distress, but the grave and honorable senators have a right to object to the use they were put to in this piece of business.

THE political effects of immigration are beginning to show in the apportionment tables. In 1850 Illinois had 9 members; now she has 21. Georgia had 8 in 1850, and now she has 10. Iowa had 2 in 1850, and now she has 11. Alabama had 7 in 1850, and now she has 8. Tennessee has the same number she had in 1850. We need not extend the list. We have given enough to warrant the assertion that the census of 1880 will rob the south of political power if she continues to permit the tide of immigration to flow to other states.

It is announced that the sultan of Turkey wishes to visit western Europe. This will be an extraordinary performance if it takes place. In this century only one commander of the Faithful has sailed out beyond the Golden Horn. The present sultan, however, intends going and probably thinks that if his cousin, the shah of Persia, who has little interest in Europe, can visit as a crowned head, surely he, who has caused more excitement in Europe than any other ruler, can do the same. Seriously considered it is a shrewd move, and one calculated to enhance Abdul Hamid's personal power; which is so much overshadowed by the porte. He will undoubtedly by his visit introduce a new and perplexing form of the eastern question into western politics.

RAISING A DEAD ISSUE.

THE CONSTITUTION is little disposed to deny the right of fullest criticism; but we respectfully suggest that there is a flavor of bitterness in the comments of certain papers on what they are pleased to call the Colquitt-Brown clique.

Georgia is threatened just now with a dangerous and demoralizing movement. There is a coalition between certain politicians and certain republicans, backed by the patronage of the stalwart administration, which it is agreed should not get control of the state government. We presume the Norwood papers are as much interested in preventing the success of the new movement as are the Colquitt papers. They certainly go into the fight with as much earnestness. We respectfully suggest that they do not further the common cause by such ill-natured and ugly remarks as some of them indulge in.

As to the Colquitt-Brown clique we submit that a party which carries the state by a majority of 54,800 votes—getting nearly 20,000 more majority than the opposition had in

total vote—after a hotly contested election, based on personal issues and fully discussed, can hardly be intelligently called a "clique." As to the record of this "clique" it will carry the state again just as it carried it before, for it is the record of the democratic party of Georgia. Its friends claim no leadership in the anti-republican campaign just opening. They ask simply to stand shoulder to shoulder with the Norwood men, fighting as democrats always fight when a common danger menaces or a common cause unites. But they do claim the right to their comrades and exemption from wanton and malicious slings. No man is a true patriot or a true democrat who does aught to impair democratic harmony or drive a single man from the democratic ranks—whether he be inspired by the memories of defeat or personal spleen.

THE CONQUERED AND THE CONQUERORS.

General Lynch, of the forces of Chili, took possession of Lima last year, and since that time there has been no organized government in Peru. The entire country has ever since been practically under Chilean management. Chileans hold the ports and collect the duties, conduct the postal affairs, collect local taxes, provide means of keeping courts in operation, the streets clean, and the people in comfortable condition. And yet Chile does not want to hold Peru permanently any more than she wanted to hold Bolivia. But Bolivia had a government with which Chile could arrange terms of peace, and by the cession of her coast province Bolivia was released from all responsibility for beginning a war against Chili.

Soon after the Chilean armies seized the capital of Peru, the Peruvian president, who had much to do with the bringing on of the war, fled the country, and Pirola proclaimed himself dictator. Chili could not treat with him, for he represented nobody; and when Calderon was declared provisional president the unfortunate declarations of Minister Harbut induced the Peruvians to reject all propositions that embraced a war indemnity. Calderon therefore a stumbling block, and he was soon afterwards carried to Chili as a prisoner. Just why he was seized one outside of the Chilean line seems to know. Calderon, however, appointed Admiral Montero vice-president, and this man, without a ship, or an army or any revenue, has established a capital in an obscure inland town, called Cajamarca.

Secretary Blaine, it will be remembered, dispatched Mr. Prescott and Assistant Secretary Blaine to Chili to arrange, if possible, terms of peace. They were to prevent, if possible, any cession of territory to Chili, but the latest advice shows that these instructions could not be or have not been regarded; for a protocol has been signed by the Chilean president and Minister Prescott, in which Chili's claim to territorial accession is recognized. Mr. Prescott is allowed ninety days to find a real Peruvian government, with which to conclude a treaty of peace on the basis of the new protocol.

It is to be hoped for the good of all concerned that the commissioners sent out by Mr. Blaine will be able to make peace between the two republics. Chili needs peace nearly as much as Peru, for her resources have been well-nigh exhausted, and her currency is greatly depreciated. Her bonds are still at par and her credit is unimpaired in Europe, and a few years of peace would give her financial strength. Her prowess was established in the war that was forced upon her, and her demands for an ample war indemnity are in all respects reasonable. Peru was bankrupt before the war was begun, and any talk of war indemnity from her except in the form of territory would be nonsense. She must give up her nitrate and guano deposits, as Bolivia has done, in order to relieve herself of permanent occupation. The penalty is heavy but just; and this country had no right to stand in the way of such a settlement. The declarations of Minister Harbut have been explained, and our peripatetic commissioners seem to have taken a correct view of the situation, and there is therefore ground for the hope that this country will reap the honor of settling a very difficult matter without being a party to any great change in the map of South America.

SOME STATISTICS.

We have already a brief summary of the comptroller general's report for the year ending October 3, 1881. In the volume, which is nearly ready for delivery, the report proper is supplemented by tables of statistics of great value, the number of pages reaching 180. The assets of the state, apart from the Western and Atlantic railroad, the public buildings and some lands in Palatka and Wayne counties, are not estimated, consist of \$18,000 in shares of the Georgia railroad and banking company; \$1,000 worth of Oceanic bridge bonds; \$10,000 worth of bonds of Southern and Atlantic telegraph company, and the Western Union; \$875,000 balance due from the sale of the Macon and Brunswick railroad; \$20,232.62 in bonds of the Marietta and North Georgia railroad.

The total capital invested in building and loan associations shows an increase over 1880 of \$167,636. The total investment is \$236,110, and of this \$108,610 is in Richmond county alone; \$31,000 in Bibb; \$15,000 in Muscogee; \$20,275 in Fulton—a decrease of \$10,900; \$14,000 in Clarke; \$5,000 in Appling; \$4,200 in Glynn; \$3,400 in Pulaski.

The value of cotton, corn, annual crops and provisions held for sale in the state on the first of April, 1881, amounted to \$330,180, an increase of \$140,753 over 1880. This shows a very small margin for improvement, but in what has heretofore been the all-cotton region the increase has been very great, but it has almost been over-balanced by the decrease in counties where cotton-raising is comparatively a new investment. Thus, in Dooly, the increase is from \$904 to \$15,885; in Dougherty, from \$14,560 to \$31,665; in Houston, from \$2,643 to \$12,235; in Macon, from \$4,217 to \$16,436; in McDuffie, from \$647 to \$5,700; in Meriwether, from \$3,754 to \$10,643; in Monroe, from \$2,650, to \$11,900, and so on. Whereas the decrease has been about \$8,000 in Campbell, about \$6,000 in Cherokee, about \$7,000 in Gordon, about \$8,000 in

have glanced at them hastily, and those we have given were selected almost at random.

Capital invested in mining decreased \$1,715 in 1881, and the increase in the value of iron works amounted to only \$82,159. It will be observed that there is still a wide field for the investment of capital. The increase in the value of horses, mules, hogs, etc., for 1881, amounted to \$464,980. There are 30,094,114 acres of improved land in the state, an increase over 1880 of 126,552 acres. The value of the improved land is \$90,567,519, an increase over 1880 of \$3,675,560. The returns of the value of capital invested in cotton manufacturing are of little value, inasmuch as the figures are not later than April of last year. At that date, according to these returns, the capital invested in cotton factories amounted to \$2,482,086, an increase of \$515,241 over 1880.

The aggregate value of property in the state amounts to \$254,126,630, an increase over 1880 of \$14,726,878. Fulton leads the other counties with \$22,930,780, followed by Chatham with \$17,580,500, Richmond with \$16,604,061, Bibb with \$9,043,313, Muscogee with \$8,103,719, Floyd with \$5,710,043, Clarke with \$4,702,410, Cobb with \$2,580,940, Bartow with \$3,303,331, and Troup, and Sumter, and Coweta following close behind.

The colored people own property returned at a value of \$7,478,951, an increase over 1880 of \$671,179. They own 699,235 acres of land, valued at \$1,734,890; city or town property valued at \$1,323,045; horses, mules, etc., valued at \$2,213,921, and so on. In Colquitt county, where only nine colored polls are reported they own 1,355 acres of land, and in Chatham county, where there are 4,086 voters, they own 2,300 acres of land. Seventeen colored voters in Pickens own \$3,878 worth of property, while thirteen in Towns own \$1,138, and thirteen in Union own \$163. The colored people of Fulton own \$348,266 worth of property.

A block of buildings costing \$112,500 cash was offered in Atlanta, and as usual an Atlanta man was found ready with the cash to take it, he being a foreigner, and the buildings were wanted. It is Atlanta money is always ready to back Atlanta real estate.

We welcome "Pete" to the list of North American correspondents. It would seem that the tyranny of a republican form of government has compelled "Pete" to work the roads.

If we understand the theory of Dr. Felton's "Pete," it is that those who are fortunate enough to own no property owe nothing whatever to the state or to society.

The premium that Dr. Felton's "Pete" would put upon thriftlessness is that it shall not be amoned by the tax collector. Our opinion is that "Pete" is about to get the doctor into business.

It is impossible to see how Dr. Felton's "Pete" can make such a wide distinction between the poor whites and blacks and the property owners. It happens that the great majority of property owners in Georgia are poor. There is no great difference between a poor white and a poor black. Dr. Felton's "Pete" is simply in favor of placing all the burdens of government on thrift and economy.

It is hinted that Henry Persons is to run for congress on an independent ticket. He does not say so in his recent letter, merely announcing that he is opposed to conventions and in favor of primaries. This is not opposition to organization, still, if Henry insists on leaving, we shall have to brace up and bid him good-bye; but he's a mighty clever man.

If the Macon Telegraph persists in discovering a coalition in every pine bush in the settlement, we shall get nervous, and it is well known that when the editors get nervous they sit right flat on the floor and squeal. In this respect, women have no advantage over newspaper men.

LITTLE TOMMY FLATT ought to have a chance to develop something. If Mr. Arthur can give him a seat on the bench, perhaps he can give him a position as a state ladder.

YOUR ENLIVE FISH. COOPER says that the man who is happy is rich. Probably; but is he happy?

THE CONSTITUTION has had the honor of introducing a new member into current politics. It is Dr. Felton's "Pete."

The statement that the queen was touched by the sympathy of the American government is a well-deserved tribute to the romantic tenderness with which Mr. Whitishuysen handles the machinery of the state department. The fact that he is in daily correspondence with kings and queens and things, has lifted the top of Mr. Whitishuysen's poetical nature.

Now that Mr. Conkling has declined the associate judgeship, can't some way be devised to pay the salary of the place to Grant? Our understanding is that Grant is suffering for money upon which to speculate. We trust the president will take immediate action.

THERE is a good deal of difference between English and American politics. In England, the people choose Mr. Bradlaugh and parliament rejects him. In America, the people repudiate Mr. Conkling and the senate confirms him.

The appointment of Conkling and his out-dated declination is about the silliest piece of political mummery on record.

Those who are disposed to criticize Mr. Arthur should bear in mind that he was not elected to his present office by the people and is therefore under no obligations to them one way or another.

Now that it is definitely settled that Editor Lamar mixed the secession today, it is useless to inquire as to the cause of the war.

THE president's industrious endeavor to do something for his dear boy is one of the most touching incidents of the year. He has ordered a pair of pants for his son, and sent down for Mr. Arthur to pay with it. It would be a great boon.

PERSONAL.

LOTTA is an American, though her hair is full of Italian suggestions. She is a native of Paris. The pilgrims are to embark at Marseilles on the 27th of April. At Jaffa, carriages, horses and the necessary baggage will be ready to receive them. The journey will be continued to Jerusalem, where wholesome and sufficiently abundant provisions are provided at low prices. From Jerusalem the pilgrims will be made to all the spots associated with sacred history.

The late consul at Panama has been transferred to Havana. Although his salary as a consul was \$1,600 larger than at Bremen, he says he would not live in Panama for \$20,000 a year. He says there are the graves of five consuls there, and nothing but discontent. The consul at Miraflores, Venezuela, says that at his post there are the graves of three consuls. He says that the consul at St. Domingo, Haiti, was killed by a mob of 100,000 men who were angry at the consul's refusal to allow them to burn the American flag.

The Anglo-Indian empire, now that it is no longer occupied with a useless war in Afghanistan, has begun to show a surplus in its annual budget. For the year 1881-82 it is \$25,000,000, and the annual surplus is about \$10,000,000. For a European nation this would be extraordinary. For an Asiatic country they are unexampled. As \$7,500,000 is laid aside for famine insurance, the actual surplus is about one-half the apparent balance. But even this sum shows great liberality in the revenues of a land which English economists were formerly wont to sneer at.

When in Genoa last night Gambetta visited Mr. Bismarck, the first book he took with him was the great Italian and ex-premier was cordial and non-political.

JOHN WENTWORTH says that the first Protestant in Chicago was a Baptist, the first book he took with him was the great Italian and ex-premier was cordial and non-political.

Dr. Jessup, of Syria, writes that the Sultan has granted permission to Russian Jews to settle in Asia Minor, but prohibits them from entering Syria or Palestine, on the ground that they might attempt to form a Jewish empire.

COLONEL JOHN MILLER, of Sharpsburg, Washington county, Maryland, was born and has slept in the same house and in the same room for ninety-seven years, and is still hale and hearty. He gained the title of colonel in the war of 1812.

An order prohibiting members of the bar of the supreme court from wearing their overcoats was issued last night by the justice of the peace. Whereas the decrease has been about \$8,000 in Campbell, about \$6,000 in Cherokee, about \$7,000 in Gordon, about \$8,000 in

the hazy that the aged birds could once awake to immortal strains.

QUEEN VICTORIA has conferred on Madame Marie Rose a graceful recognition of her ability as a singer. The token is a handsome diamond bracelet. A letter from Sir Henry Ponsonby, who accompanied the queen, states that it is "in remembrance of the pleasure Madame Marie Rose gave her majesty on the occasion of her singing before the queen at Osborne, December 25th, 1881."

THE Rev. Dr. Joseph Parker, who divides with the Rev. C. H. Spurgeon the distinction of being the most popular preacher in London, is fifty-two years old. He is a man of powerful physical structure, and is fond of athletic sports. In social conversation he condenses what he has to say into as few words as possible, but in the pulpit he expresses his thoughts more freely.

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IN GENERAL.

THE farmers of Kansas have kept at their ploughing all winter.

TWENTY-SIX gigantic icebergs were seen from Cape Race on Wednesday.

The growing wheat crop is everywhere represented to be in a prosperous condition.

ABOUT this time some of the Mormon elders are probably distributing a lot of taffy in their hands.

LOVE before tobacco was introduced into England the dried leaves of coltsfoot were quite generally smoked.

APPLICATIONS for passes to the Guleitau executed now being received by some of them come from distant parts of the country.

THERE are now ten murderers in the Tombs, New York, but after next Friday, unless new recruits are added, there will be only nine.

The commission appointed in Germany to revise Luther's translation of the Bible has held its last sitting and brought its work to a close.

The anniversary of Robert Emmet's birth was generally celebrated in Ireland, and throughout the United States by Irish-American citizens.

CONSIDERING the power and influence of the Mormon elders, the petitions to congress signed by "young lions" and "young men" are not much to be wondered at.

The official statistics show that 769,919 bushels of potatoes, valued at \$48,861, have been imported into the United States since last March from Ireland, Scotland, Nova Scotia, and Canada, and that these we must have had potatoes famine.

The children of the blackest Africans are born white. In a month they become pale yellow; in a year they are as white as the milk of the mucus membranes underneath the cuticle.—Sir R. Phillips.

In a new love story one of the heroes is the only son of a great banker, and yet a poor plumber. Anybody can see how that story will end. The girl will, of course, get engaged to the banker's son. He will buy a cage for his bird and hire the poor plumber to do the plumbing.

When the job is completed the banker's son will be a beggar, the plumber will own the house, and of course, marry the girl.—Philadelphia News.

The mention of the fact that the lives of John Shute and his son, General N. H. H. extended over 141 years, has brought information from Mr. Polly Davison, of Hampton Falls, N. H., whose father-in-law was General Shute, that he died at the age of 141 years, 7 months, 11 days, 11 hours, 11 minutes, 11 seconds, 11 thirds, 11 fourths, 11 fifths, 11 sixths, 11 sevenths, 11 eighths, 11 ninths, 11 tenths, 11 hundredths, 11 thousandths, 11 millionths, 11 billionths, 11 trillionths, 11 quadrillionths, 11 quintillionths, 11 sextillionths, 11 septillionths, 11 octillionths, 11 nonillionths, 11 decillionths, 11 undecillionths, 11 duodecillionths, 11 tredecillionths, 11 quattuordecillionths, 11 quindecillionths, 11 sexdecillionths, 11 septendecillionths, 11 octodecillionths, 11 novemdecillionths, 11 vigintillionths, 11 trigintillionths, 11 quadragintillionths, 11 quinquagintillionths, 11 sexagintillionths, 11 septuagintillionths, 11 octogintillionths, 11 nonagintillionths, 11 centillionths, 11 googolplexillionths.

A popular penitential pilgrimage of Jerusalem is announced by the religious journals of Paris. The pilgrims are to embark at Marseilles on the 27th of April. At Jaffa, carriages, horses and the necessary baggage will be ready to receive them. The journey will be continued to Jerusalem, where wholesome and sufficiently abundant provisions are provided at low prices. From Jerusalem the pilgrims will be made to all the spots associated with sacred history.

The late consul at Panama has been transferred to Havana. Although his salary as a consul was \$1,600 larger than at Bremen, he says he would not live in Panama for \$20,000 a year. He says there are the graves of five consuls there, and nothing but discontent. The consul at Miraflores, Venezuela, says that at his post there are the graves of three consuls. He says that the consul at St. Domingo, Haiti, was killed by a mob of 100,000 men who were angry at the consul's refusal to allow them to burn the American flag.

The Anglo-Indian empire, now that it is no longer occupied with a useless war in Afghanistan, has begun to show a surplus in its annual budget. For the year 1881-82 it is \$25,000,000, and the annual surplus is about \$10,000,000. For a European nation this would be extraordinary. For an Asiatic country they are unexampled. As \$7,500,000 is laid aside for famine insurance, the actual surplus is about one-half the apparent balance. But even this sum shows great liberality in the revenues of a land which English economists were formerly wont to sneer at.

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Dr. Jessup, of Syria, writes that the Sultan has granted permission to Russian Jews to settle in Asia Minor, but prohibits them from entering Syria or Palestine, on the ground that they might attempt to form a Jewish empire.

COLONEL JOHN MILLER, of Sharpsburg, Washington county, Maryland, was born and has slept in the same house and in the same room for ninety-seven years, and is still hale and hearty. He gained the title of colonel in the war of 1812.

An order prohibiting members of the bar of the supreme court from wearing their overcoats was issued last night by the justice of the peace. Whereas the decrease has been about \$8,000 in Campbell, about \$6,000 in Cherokee, about \$7,000 in Gordon, about \$8,000 in

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Editor Lamar's Head to Fortunate American Recorder.

A Georgian having invented a covering for cotton bales which is made entirely of sheet iron, according to the Macon Telegraph the planter can make their everlasting fortunes by selling the coverings at the same price as cotton. We would suggest that the covering be made of boiler iron if we were not fearful that our planters would be ruined by prosperity.

Our Noble Tariff.

Professor Sumner, of Yale college. The tariff was imposed in the excitement of the civil war, and we were told that it was only temporary, that it was just to foster our infant industries. Twenty years have passed, and those infant haven't grown yet, and never will under protection. Remember this tariff was laid on us when we were a wretched, backward, and all possible excuse for protection has passed.

A Wicked Bill.

The Ways and Means committee have refused to let McKinley report his steel monopoly bill, designed to put money into the fat steel combination's pocket at the expense of a dozen other interests. The bill is a thoroughly selfish and wicked scheme to plunder the people, and even the protectionists have become alarmed at the opposition displayed to the measure by other protected interests who keep the extraordinary lot of plundering officers who were with them, and the custom when attending parties given them by the secretary was to give them a portion of the plunder.

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Cotton, middling uplands closed in Liverpool yesterday, at 6-16; in New York, at 11 1/2; in Atlanta, at 11 1/2.

Weather.

The Signal Service Bureau report indicates for Georgia to-day, increasing cloudiness and rain, colder north to east winds, rising followed by falling barometer.

Daily Weather Report.
OBSERVER'S OFFICE, Signal Corps, U. S. A.,
KIMBALL HOUSE, March 7, 1882, P. M.
[All observations taken at the same moment of actual time.]

NAME OF TATION.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Wind.	Force.	Direction.	Weather.
Atlanta.	30.26	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Augusta.	30.31	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Palmetto.	30.31	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Galveston.	30.27	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Indianapolis.	30.27	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Key West.	30.27	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Mobile.	30.27	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Montgomery.	30.27	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Port Pava.	30.27	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Pensacola.	30.27	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
Savannah.	30.27	51	N. E.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.

NOTE.—Force of Wind: Light, 1 to 2 miles per hour, inclusive; Gentle, 2 to 5, inclusive; Fresh, 5 to 14, inclusive; Brisk, 15 to 29, inclusive; High, 30 to 39, inclusive.

Local Weather Report.
ATLANTA, GA., March 7, 1882.

TIME.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Wind.	Force.	Direction.	Weather.
8:31 a. m.	30.28	51	N. W.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
10:31	30.30	51	N. W.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
12:31	30.31	51	N. W.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
2:31	30.31	51	N. W.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
4:31	30.31	51	N. W.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
6:31	30.31	51	N. W.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.
8:31	30.31	51	N. W.	4	Fresh	Cloudy.

Mean daily bar., 30.31; Maximum therm., 51.0; Mean daily therm., 51.0; Minimum therm., 51.0; Mean daily wind, 4.0; Total rainfall, .01.

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THE GATES AJAR.

Deaths of Rev. W. T. Brantley, Mr. W. D. Ellis, Mr. G. P. A. Spyer, and H. H. Jackson.

A brief telegram was received in the city Monday announcing the death of Rev. W. T. Brantley, which occurred at Baltimore that morning. The telegram was sent by Mr. T. J. McGuire to Mr. John H. James, and merely announced the death of the distinguished divine and gave none of the particulars of his illness. The telegram was received a few minutes after the adjournment of the usual Monday morning pastor's meeting, therefore no action was taken by the city pastors yesterday in reference to the matter.

Dr. Brantley was in his sixty-sixth year. He was one of the most noted ministers of the day. The "History of Georgia Baptists" contains an interesting sketch of his life. He was born May 15th, 1816, in Beaufort, S. C. He was graduated by Brown university at Providence, R. I., and immediately after, in 1840, he was called to the charge of the Greene Street Baptist church in Augusta, having been duly ordained. In the succeeding year he married Miss Mary Ann Turpin, daughter of Dr. W. H. Turpin. In 1848 he moved from Augusta to Athens to accept the professorship of belle lettres in the university of Georgia, a position which he held until 1856, when he accepted a call to the charge of the Tabernacle Baptist church in Philadelphia. In 1857 he accepted a call to the Seventh Baptist church in Baltimore, that pulpit having been made vacant by the resignation of Dr. Richard Fuller. He remained in Baltimore up to the time of his death. He was one of the very first pastors of the Baptist denomination, a man of great literary and theological attainments, and his death casts a gloom over thousands who had come to know and love him.

W. D. ELLIS.
After an illness of four months, the above named gentleman died at his place of residence, in Atlanta, on Saturday, March 5th. He leaves two daughters—Mrs. N. G. Moore and Mrs. W. P. Peck—and two sons—Messrs. W. D. Ellis and Hayne Ellis—of Macon.

Had he lived until April, he would have been seventy-six years of age. Through his home he was an active, energetic business man. Early in life he was engaged in railroad building; after that following commercial pursuits until 1860, when he retired from business, possessed of quite a fortune, nearly all of which was swept away by the war. His wife, who was Miss Charlotte McIntosh, of Charleston, South Carolina, his native state, died some thirty years ago. At a quarter to three o'clock, Sunday afternoon, quite a number of the friends of the deceased, with the family, accompanied the remains to St. Philip's church and to the cemetery, where the beautiful Episcopal services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Foutte.

MR. G. P. A. SPYER.
The many friends of Mr. George P. A. Spyer, of this city, will regret to learn of his death, which occurred in Tampa, Fla., Monday morning. On the 23d of December last Mr. Spyer left Atlanta for Florida in search of his health, which had been gradually failing for months. Soon after his arrival in Florida he began to improve rapidly, and great hopes of an early recovery were entertained by his friends here. Mr. Spyer was at the time of his death one of Atlanta's station house keepers, and was an excellent official. He was sober, honest, industrious, faithful and kind-hearted. Mr. Spyer was 33 years of age and leaves a wife and two children.

At 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoon the residence of Mr. J. W. Renfroe, on Peachtree, was filled with a sorrowing crowd, gathered to witness the funeral rites of the child of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jackson, to express sympathy with the stricken parents. The services were affecting to the last degree. Two hymns, "In the Sweet, Bye-and-bye," and "Bury Your Troubles," were sung by Mrs. Critchton, Mrs. Peck and Mr. Woods White. Judge Jackson made a touching and eloquent talk over the little coffin. The pall-bearers were B. H. Hill, Jr., R. A. Henphill, E. S. Gay and W. H. Venable. The heart-felt sympathy of the whole community goes out to the bereaved family.

NEW GAS WORKS.

Ground to be Broken To-day for a New Gas House and Machinery.

Mr. B. F. Sherman, a wealthy and successful business man, of New York, on yesterday closed a contract for the erection of buildings for a new gas company that he represents. It will be remembered that Mr. Sherman secured a charter some time ago for the making of illuminating gas. He has since purchased a lot, and has been stated on yesterday, closed a contract for the building. Ground will be broken to-day and the buildings are to be finished in six weeks. The contract for machinery made with a Pennsylvania firm calls for its completion in six weeks. Mr. Sherman has abundant capital to lay mains and pipes to all parts of the city, and says that within six months he will have his lines running through every main street and completely assured to every gas consumer in the city.

He proposes to make gas by a new process. The product is called water gas and is made under a patent. He claims that it will give a hundred per cent better gas, double the illuminating capacity and at very much less cost than the gas now furnished in the city. He states that he does not care to engage in any routine competition or cut throat business, but believing that the city is large enough for two gas companies, he proposes to put up his works and run out his mains and ask the people to give him a chance. Mr. Sherman is a man of enterprise, energy, sagacity and wealth, and is a most valuable addition to the ranks of the city's business men.

IT IS SAID

That there is a big counterfeit mill in Atlanta.

That the new police commissioners give general satisfaction.

That the city court tried a number of petty criminals yesterday.

That the new canal water works scheme was generally discussed yesterday.

That Captain Bagby has a big sensation in his pocket which he refuses to give away.

That Captain Starnes has received a leave of absence for thirty days, and that he will leave for Texas Monday night.

That Messrs. B. H. Hill, Jr., and Hoke Smith bought a magnificent property in Bellwood yesterday. It is understood that they will improve it in a short time.

That Monday night Deputy Collectors Crawford and Irish seized a big distillery in Campbell county. They destroyed two copper stills and 1,500 gallons of beer and mash.

The explosion at the opera house is harmless, but exciting.

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United States District Court.

In the United States district court, yesterday, Judge Boardman presiding, the following cases were tried for illicit distilling, retailing and working in and in each case the defendant pleaded guilty except where otherwise stated. Defendant was remanded to jail to await sentence:

Jasper Newton, found guilty; Wm. Green, found guilty; John Timmons, guilty; Stephen Woods, N. L. Anderson, Hilary York, Joseph Howell, Sidney Orton, John Hooper, John Howell, James Welsh, James E. Breddlove, A. J. Bearden, Charles Mathews, Henry Jackson, George Rider, Chastine Garrett, J. A. and Joseph Farrow. The bond of John Houston, charged with carrying on the business of a distiller and wholesale liquor dealer, was forfeited. Robert H. English, charged with illicit retailing, was dismissed. Frank Gordon was admitted to practice.

The World.

This spectacular drama has twice been interrupted by the Brooks & Jackson company, at Judge's opera house. Last night the audience was a good sized and enthusiastic one. The scenic effects were more satisfactory than on Monday night. The setting was very good. Mr. Frank Rose, as "Sir Henry Huntley," the hero, was an excellent actor, and supports the chief interest of the play. Mr. James, as the Jew "Moses Jewel," is original, and although a very bad character, very amusing. Miss Helen Sedgwick, as "Miss Huntley," the deserted wife, made the most of her part in a quiet, and altogether tasteful manner. Miss Etta Baker, as "Mary Blythe," looked pretty, and acted well. The drama and spectacular scenes, make up a play of really thrilling interest. This afternoon at half-past two a matinee, and an entertainment to-night, and all who attend will be repaid.

Entry Organ Concert.

Last evening was given the twenty-seventh musical evening to a crowded and enthusiastic audience. The features of the entertainment were Miss Harp's piano playing, which was twice encored, the cornet solos by Mr. Seals, the Mendelssohn duet by Miss Cady and Miss Roy, Bandages "The Mariners" and the Glee duet from the Macbeth.

It Was Not His Heaviest.

Yesterday when Colonel Adair was taking a rest after the fatigue of the day, he was interrupted by a visitor who had been detained in Cincinnati for some days settling up the affairs of his brother who recently died, returned to Atlanta yesterday.

"No, the heaviest sale I ever made was the sale of the Mitchell heir property—the old park—when the Kisers are now. It brought \$250,000, and I made seven thousand five hundred dollars in commissions in the one day."

"What did you make to-day?"

"That's nobody's business."

PERSONAL.

Rev. W. C. Johnson will preach in the Baptist church in Decatur on Sunday next.

Dr. E. J. Peck, who has been detained in Cincinnati for some days settling up the affairs of his brother who recently died, returned to Atlanta yesterday.

Mr. John Ryan, the great dry goods king of the South, and leader of low prices, left yesterday for New York to purchase one of the largest, finest and cheapest stock of goods which was ever seen before in the history of Atlanta. He took with him two of his buyers, one for his mammoth dry goods emporium and one for his great shoe house.

Rev. Wm. E. Rogers, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, has been elected to the chair of church history and pastoral theology in Columbia theological seminary, of Columbia, S. C. He has not decided whether or not he will accept the position. The professorship pays only \$2,000 per annum, while Dr. Rogers now receives three thousand and a parsonage, which runs his salary to practically \$8,000 per annum.

The World Matinee.

The matinee at the opera house to-day will afford parents an opportunity of giving their little ones a treat not often offered them. The World can be enjoyed by the children as well as by adults, and this opportunity for a rare entertainment should not be deprived the children. Performance will commence at 2:30 o'clock.

Clergymen's sore throat and bronchitis are speedily and permanently cured by Brewer's Lung Restorer.

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Church of Christ, Hunter Street.

Instead of the usual prayer meeting services this evening, Dr. A. G. Thomas, pastor of the church, will preach a sermon on the subject, "Life is Worth Living." Public invited. Members specially urged to come.

G. W. ADAIR, AUCTIONEER.

Walker Street Property.

I will sell on the premises on Friday next, the 10th day of March, 1882, at 3 o'clock, p. m., one lot fronting 100 feet on the west side of Walker street, between Bett's store and Larkin street, on which are two houses, number 101 and 102—one of them having 5 rooms and a hall and veranda, and the other 4 rooms—the two renting for \$18.00 per month. This property belongs to a non-resident, who instructs me to sell for cash. Examine and attend the sale. It will be sold. Persons wanting good rent paying property, please take notice.

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Mr. Dodge in Bethel Church.

Hon. W. E. Dodge, of New York, and Governor A. H. Conquitt, will address the members and friends of Bethel A. M. E. Church to-night, Wednesday, the 8th. Mr. Dodge has proved himself a friend to our people. He educated Rev. W. D. Johnson, to be our pastor at Bethel church in 1874. Come out, friends, and hear these christian gentlemen talk on the subject of temperance.

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